

# City of Kingston Administrative Policies Committee Special Meeting Number 02-2024 Agenda

# Wednesday, January 24, 2024 at 6:00 p.m. Hosted at City Hall in Council Chamber

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# **Committee Composition**

Councillor Ridge, Chair Councillor Amos Councillor Chaves Councillor Glenn Councillor Hassan Councillor McLaren

- 1. Meeting to Order
- 2. Approval of the Agenda
- 3. Confirmation of Minutes
- 4. Disclosure of Pecuniary Interest
- 5. Delegations
  - **a)** Michael Judd will be present to speak to the Committee regarding the Residential Rental Licensing report.
  - **b)** Janet Trost will be present to speak to the Committee regarding the Residential Rental Licensing report.

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- c) Robert Melo, President, Kingston Rental Property Owners Association will be present to speak to the Committee regarding the Residential Licensing report.
- **d)** Jordan Morelli, Director, Kingston Rental Property Owners Association will be present to speak to the Committee regarding the Residential Licensing report.
- **e)** Lindsey Foster, Kingston Rental Property Owners Association will be present to speak to the Committee with regarding the Residential Licensing report.

# 6. Briefings

a) Curtis Smith, Director, Licensing & Enforcement will be present to speak to the Committee regarding the Residential Rental Licensing Report.

#### 7. Business

# a) Residential Rental Licensing

The Report of the Commissioner of Growth & Development Services (AP-24-003) is attached.

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#### Recommendation:

**That** the Administrative Policies Committee consider the following options in relation to the Residential Rental Licensing program and recommended to Council that staff be directed to proceed with implementation of one of the following:

#### Option 1:

**That** staff be directed to undertake revisions of the City's alreadyexisting By-Laws and processes to promote the health and safety of tenants; and

**That** staff be directed to create a Residential Rental Registry system for properties with 1-4 residential rental units; and

**That** staff provide a report to Council in Q3 2024 with the details of this plan, including required resources and associated timelines.

Or

# Option 2:

**That** staff be directed to create a Pilot Phased Licensing System with a Residential Rental Registry to be implemented in the Sydenham and Kingscourt-Rideau districts, including a triaged Licensing/Inspection program, for properties with 1-4 residential rental units; and

**That** staff be directed to undertake revisions of the City's alreadyexisting By-Laws and processes to promote the health and safety of tenants; and

**That** staff provide a report to Council in Q3 2024 with the details of this plan, including required resources and associated timelines.

#### Or

## Option 3:

**That** staff be directed to create a Pilot Full Licensing Program, to include an inspection regime for all properties with 1-4 residential rental units; and

**That** staff be directed to undertake revisions of the City's alreadyexisting By-Laws and processes to promote the health and safety of tenants; and

**That** staff provide a report to Council in Q3 2024 with the details of this plan, including required resources and associated timelines.

- 8. Motions
- 9. Notices of Motion
- 10. Other Business
- 11. Correspondence

#### 12. Date of Next Meeting

The next meeting of the Administrative Policies Committee is scheduled for is scheduled for Thursday, February 8, 2024 at 6:00 p.m.

# 13. Adjournment